



## TEMPLE TERRACE POLICE DEPARTMENT NEWS RELEASE

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **ARMED MAN ARRESTED FOR IMPERSONATING OFFICER**

**(TEMPLE TERRACE, FL – 11/10/09)** – A 22-year-old Temple Terrace man was arrested early Tuesday morning after approaching a woman and falsely identifying himself as a police officer.

Temple Terrace police arrested Noah Miller, who gave an address of 1312 Boardwalk Path Drive #D, Temple Terrace, on charges of impersonating a law-enforcement officer and false imprisonment. He remains in Hillsborough County Jail. His address has not been confirmed.

At about 2:38 a.m. this morning, according to police, a 21-year-old woman pulled into a parking space at the Raintree subdivision in Temple Terrace, where she lives. She observed a green Chevy Trail Blazer pull up near her car. The victim was identified as Leah Simmerman, of 11830 Olde Grove Place, Temple Terrace.

Simmerman was suspicious, so she pulled out, drove a loop around the community and called 9-1-1 from her cell phone. She then pulled into another parking space in Raintree. The suspect followed her, and pulled up near her.

He approached her car and told her to roll down her window. She refused. He identified himself as a police officer, so she rolled down the window a little bit to speak. She was still on the phone with dispatch personnel, who told her to ask to see a badge.

The suspect said his badge was in his car. He went back to the Blazer, then drove off. Simmerman was able to describe the vehicle, and police arrived as Miller was leaving. He was pulled over, questioned and arrested.

In Miller's vehicle were a black BB pistol, handcuffs, a metal baton, folding knife, Maglite flashlight and a ballistic vest.

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